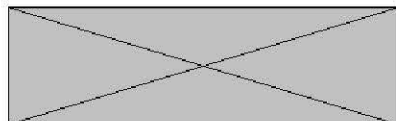


**To:** Juan Solorio[juan.solorio@lacity.org]  
**From:** Eve Sinclair  
**Sent:** Wed 6/19/2019 5:47:43 PM  
**Subject:** Fwd: Please HELP

Hello there! Here is one of the written complaints I have recently received about the encampment located across from the preschool at Sunland Park. Our office has also had at least ten other constituent complaints, either by phone, at meetings, or through walk-ins. Some of the other reporting members include: [REDACTED] Many, many 311 reports have been filed on this complaint (though they may not all be using the same address as it is not located at a clearly marked address area). It has been ongoing for several months now. Please let me know what other information you might need, and what we can do to help clear this area up. It has a couple of tents (2-3 that are set up round-the-clock) and are often blocking the sidewalk, which is the only way to get to the bus stop there. Thank you.



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**Subject:** Please HELP  
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Eve;

I am sending this to you in hopes that you can forward it to Monica.

What is happening on Foothill is out of control. We now have THREE tents set up on the Foothill Blvd., across from Sunland Park, at the side entrance to the new, beautiful shopping center. Next to a bus stop no less. How many times must we 311 this? Currently there are NINE submitted within the last 30 days. How are we to attract new businesses here with this? As a walker and bus rider, how can I feel safe with this?

And now we have rogue BBQ, non-compliant food "vendors" (for lack of a better name) setting up on Foothill Blvd Sidewalks, very late at night. Seriously. We have also 311'd these, but because they are out past 10pm and move up and down the Blvd, they are hard to cite. Not only are they cooking/selling meat products, they are also dumping the used grease and oil onto the sidewalks.

As you know, I am all about using the city services that are available to us and for the most part am really happy with the results. Except when it comes to these two areas: Non Compliant Vendor enforcement and encampments.

For the last 3 years I have been reporting the fruit vendor that sets up next to Bank of America. This vendor is Non-Permitted and sets up in an area that is very unclean. One of the vendors has even been verbally abusive when I asked to see his permit. They set up next to the ingress driveway off of Foothill that blocks the view of any cars coming into the parking lot and on more than one occasion I have almost been hit while trying to navigate around the umbrella as the drivers can not see me. When they aren't there, they are next to the BofA in Sun Valley (Sunland Blvd/Glenoaks).

I don't want to hear the "if people didn't buy from them, then they would not be there" excuse. The same could be said

about drug dealers. We are "thisclose" to looking like the worst parts of the valley if we don't get a handle on this up here. I am getting very weary of constantly having to 311 the same things over and over again with NO results.

I really do want to work in partnership with our city officials and am literally at my wits end on what to do. Thank you in advance for any advice, help your office can give.

Respectfully,

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